

Good evening, Charles H. Parker Students and Families! This is Ms. Range, with our weekly announcement. I hope this message finds all of our families safe and healthy. Happy Labor Day! I hope everyone found time to rest and celebrate as we begin to get into our school routine! As always, this message will be posted on our website and our Facebook account. Please remember that the school is here to support you. If you have any needs or need any support, please let us know. The office is open Monday through Friday from 7:30 AM until 5:00 PM.

Just a reminder, students are able to enter the building starting at 8:45 AM. They are late beginning at 9:15. If your child arrives after 9:15, parents must walk students to the door to sign them in. For early dismissals, students must be picked up prior to 3:30 PM. This is for safety reasons. There will be a QR code to use to complete both tardies and early dismissals on your phone. Also, dismissal will begin at 4:15. Walkers will begin coming up to the stop sign at 4:20.

Thank you for your continued patience with buses and with carpool. We are just 5 days into the school year and already seeing great progress! Please continue to be patient and understanding. Every day it will get better. Remember that left turns in the school parking lot from 4:00 – 4:30 are not allowed. You will need to make the first right onto Norwich Road; make the first left turn onto Chelveston Place; make a left onto Walton Road; make a right turn in front of the school. Stay in the traffic circle lane until you reach the main entrance of the school.

Please join our Parker PTA!! Our PTA does incredible work supporting our students and staff. They need your help to make wonderful things happen. Please use the link below to join [my.cheddarup.com/c/parker-academic-center-pta-membership](https://my.cheddarup.com/c/parker-academic-center-pta-membership).

In Thursday folders this week, we will send information home regarding the Title IX lessons that will be done on September 21. If you would like to have your child opt out of these lessons, please complete the form, and turn it into your child's teacher by September 16.

On September 20 from 6 to 7:30 PM, we will host our school's Curriculum Night. This is an important event that will provide families with information about your scholar's upcoming school year. Ms. Range and the PTA will begin the event at 6 PM in the gym with a brief schoolwide meeting. Starting at 6:30 PM, families can then go to their students' classrooms for specific class information. At 7:00 PM, parents will be able to rotate to another classroom presentation.

We do have a quick reference guide for families on everything you need to know about Charles H. Parker Academic Center. The link for this document is  
In English <https://bit.ly/pacparentinfo22>  
In Spanish <https://bit.ly/spanparentpacinfo>

Please register for Parent Square. Invitations to join were sent out just prior to this message and we will send out invitations each week as a reminder. We send a great deal of information through Parent Square throughout the week, and you can also reach staff through this mode of communication. If you need support with Parentsquare, please let us know.

Please reach out if you have any questions or have any needs. Thank you for all of your support, understanding and dedication to Charles H. Parker! Have a wonderful evening!